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Article 6.14.-Violations and Penalties.

Any person who performs any of the following acts shall be punished with a penalty of imprisonment not exceeding six (6) months or a fine not exceeding five thousand dollars (\$5,000) or both sentences at the discretion of the court:

(a) Give a false alarm regarding the imminent occurrence of a catastrophe in Puerto Rico or, if there is already a state of emergency or disaster, spread rumours or give false alarms about non-existent abnormalities.

